

milk, or cheese whey was concentrated or dried.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (secs. 401, 701, 52 Stat. 1046, 1055, as amended 70 Stat. 919, 72 Stat. 948; 21 U.S.C. 341, 371) and in accordance with the authority delegated to the Commissioner of Food and Drugs (21 CFR 2.120), all interested persons are invited to submit their views in writing (preferably in quintuplicate) regarding this proposal within 60 days following the date of publication of this notice in the FEDERAL REGISTER. Such views and comments should be addressed to the Hearing Clerk, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Room 5440, 330 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, D.C. 20201, and may be accompanied by a memorandum or brief in support thereof.

Dated: May 20, 1969.

R. E. DUGGAN,
Acting Associate Commissioner
for Compliance.

[F.R. Doc. 69-6242; Filed, May 26, 1969;
8:45 a.m.]

[21 CFR Part 29]

FRUIT BUTTER, IDENTITY STANDARD Optional Addition of Sorbic Acid and Certain Salts Thereof

Notice is given that the National Tea Co., 1000 Crosby Street, Post Office Box 6970-A, Chicago, Ill. 60680, has filed a petition proposing that the definition and standard of identity for fruit butter (21 CFR 29.1) be amended to provide for optional addition of the chemical preservatives sorbic acid, sodium sorbate, and potassium sorbate, singly or in combination, so that the total quantity does not exceed 0.1 percent by weight of the finished food. Also, it is proposed that label declaration of such use be required in accordance with section 403(k) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 343(k)).

Grounds submitted by the petitioner in support of the proposal are that following the opening of a commercially sterile container of fruit butter by the consumer, conditions are favorable for mold growth and visible mold will in fact develop in 5 to 10 days. Frequently before the product can be consumed it becomes unusable. The petitioner states that the subject ingredients in the quantity proposed can prevent the mold development.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (secs. 401, 701, 52 Stat. 1046, 1055, as amended 70 Stat. 919, 72 Stat. 948; 21 U.S.C. 341, 371) and in accordance with the authority delegated to the Commissioner of Food and Drugs (21 CFR 2.120), all interested persons are invited to submit their views in writing (preferably in quintuplicate) regarding this proposal within 60 days following the date of publication of this notice in the FEDERAL REGISTER. Such views and comments

should be addressed to the Hearing Clerk, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Room 5440, 330 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, D.C. 20201, and may be accompanied by a memorandum or brief in support thereof.

Dated: May 20, 1969.

R. E. DUGGAN,
Acting Associate Commissioner
for Compliance.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

[14 CFR Part 71]

[Airspace Docket No. 69-EA-44]

TRANSITION AREA

Proposed Alteration

The Federal Aviation Administration is considering amending § 71.181 of Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations so as to alter the Mount Pocono, Pa., transition area (34 F.R. 4732).

A revision to the NDB (ADF)-1 instrument approach procedure for Mount Pocono Airport, Mount Pocono, Pa., requires alteration of the Mount Pocono, Pa., transition area to provide airspace protection for aircraft executing the instrument approach procedure.

Interested persons may submit such written data or views as they may desire. Communication should be submitted in triplicate to the Director, Eastern Region, Attention: Chief, Air Traffic Division, Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration, Federal Building, John F. Kennedy International Airport, Jamaica, N.Y. 11430. All communications received within 30 days after publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER will be considered before action is taken on the proposed amendment. No hearing is contemplated at this time, but arrangements may be made for informal conferences with Federal Aviation Administration officials by contacting the Chief, Airspace and Standards Branch, Eastern Region.

Any data or views presented during such conferences must also be submitted in writing in accordance with this notice in order to become part of the record for consideration. The proposal contained in this notice may be changed in the light of comments received.

The official docket will be available for examination by interested persons at the Office of Regional Counsel, Federal Aviation Administration, Federal Building, John F. Kennedy International Airport, Jamaica, N.Y.

The Federal Aviation Administration, having completed a review of the airspace requirements for the terminal area of Mount Pocono, Pa., proposes the airspace action hereinafter set forth:

Amend § 71.181 of Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations so as to in the description of the Mount Pocono, Pa., transition area, delete all after the words "within 2 miles each side of the" and insert the following in lieu thereof, "333° bearing from the Tobyhanna RBN (41° 12'15" N., 75°25'20" W.) extending from the RBN to 7.5 miles northwest of the RBN."

This amendment is proposed under section 307(a) of the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (72 Stat. 749; 49 U.S.C. 1348), and section 6(c) of the DOT Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).

Issued in Jamaica, N.Y., on 15 May, 1969.

WAYNE HENDERSHOT,
Acting Director, Eastern Region.

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[14 CFR Part 71]

[Airspace Docket No. 69-EA-48]

TRANSITION AREA

Proposed Designation

The Federal Aviation Administration is considering amending § 71.181 of Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations so as to designate a 700-foot transition area over Empire Aero Services Airport, Skaneateles, N.Y.

A new VOR/DME instrument approach procedure has been developed for the airport predicated on the Syracuse, N.Y. VORTAC. We will require designation of a 700-foot floor Skaneateles, New York transition area to provide airspace protection for aircraft executing this procedure.

Interested persons may submit such written data or views as they may desire. Communications should be submitted in triplicate to the Director, Eastern Region, Attention: Chief, Air Traffic Division, Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration, Federal Building, John F. Kennedy International Airport, Jamaica, N.Y. 11430. All communications received within 30 days after publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER will be considered before action is taken on the proposed amendment. No hearing is contemplated at this time, but arrangements may be made for informal conferences with Federal Aviation Administration officials by contacting the Chief, Airspace and Standards Branch, Eastern Region.

Any data or views presented during such conferences must also be submitted in writing in accordance with this notice in order to become part of the record for consideration. The proposal contained in this notice may be changed in the light of comments received.

The official docket will be available for examination by interested persons at the Office of Regional Counsel, Federal Aviation Administration, Federal Building, John F. Kennedy International Airport, Jamaica, N.Y.

The Federal Aviation Administration, having completed a review of the airspace requirements for the terminal area of Skaneateles, N.Y., proposes the airspace action hereinafter set forth:

Amend § 71.181 of Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations so as to designate a Skaneateles, N.Y., transition area described as follows:

SKANEATELES, N.Y.

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within a 5-mile radius of the center 42°54'50" N., 76°26'20" W. of Empire Aero Services Airport, Skaneateles, N.Y.; within 2 miles each side of the Runway 10 centerline, extended from the 5-mile radius area to 6 miles east of the lift-off end of the runway and within 2 miles each side of the Syracuse VORTAC 215° radial, extending from the 5-mile radius area to 13 miles southwest of the Syracuse VORTAC.

This amendment is proposed under section 307(a) of the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 (72 Stat. 749; 49 U.S.C. 1348), and section 6(c) of the Department of Transportation Act (49 U.S.C. 1655(c)).

Issued in Jamaica, N.Y., on May 15, 1969.

WAYNE HENDERSHOT,
Acting Director, Eastern Region.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

[16 CFR Part 501]

SMALL ARMS AMMUNITION AND COMPONENTS

Labels of Consumer Commodities; Proposed Exemption From Certain Requirements of Fair Packaging and Labeling Act

Notice is given that the Sporting Arms Ammunition Manufacturers' Institute, New York City, N.Y., has submitted a petition requesting that the regulations for the enforcement of the Fair Packaging and Labeling Act (16 CFR Part 501) be amended to exempt small arms ammunition and components of small arms ammunition from the requirements of the regulations of Part 500 of this chapter.

Grounds given in the petition in support of the requested exemption are that technical compliance with the Act is not necessary for protection of consumers since ammunition is now packaged in a manner that satisfies the basic purposes of the Act, there is little variation in the types of packages in which a given ammunition product is marketed and the

nature of the product is such that the consumer is unlikely to be confused. In addition, full compliance is impracticable because of possible conflicts with necessary safety information required by the Federal Hazardous Substances Labeling Act, and compliance with the technical requirements of the Fair Packaging and Labeling Act would impose an unnecessary and costly burden on the manufacturers while adding nothing of value for the consumer.

Accordingly, pursuant to the provisions of the Fair Packaging and Labeling Act (Sections 5(b), 6(b), 80 Stat. 1298, 1300, 15 U.S.C. 1454, 1455) and under the Commission's procedures and rules of practice (16 CFR 1.16), it is proposed that Part 501 be amended by adding thereto a new section as follows:

§ 501.13 Small arms ammunition.

Small arms ammunition, including shot shells, metallic cartridges, and blanks, and components of small arms ammunition, including empty unprimed cases and shells, bullets, primers, and wads, shall be exempt from the requirements of the regulations in Part 500 of this chapter.

Any interested person may, within 60 days from the date of this publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER, file with the Secretary, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, D.C. 20580, written views on this proposal. Comments may be accompanied by a memorandum or brief in support thereof.

Issued: May 21, 1969.

By direction of the Commission.

[SEAL] JOSEPH W. SHEA,
Secretary.

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8:49 a.m.]

[16 CFR Part 501]

PAINTS PACKAGED IN PRESSURIZED CONTAINERS

Labels of Consumer Commodities; Proposed Exemption From Certain Labeling Requirements

Notice is given that Seymour of Sycamore, Inc., 917 Crosby Avenue, Sycamore, Ill. 60178, has filed a petition requesting an exemption of 1 year's duration for paints packaged in aerosol containers from the requirements of § 500.20 of the Commission's Part 500 regulations (16 CFR 500.20) prohibiting supplemental statements of net quantity from appearing on the principal display panels of packaged consumer commodities.

Grounds given in the petition in support of the requested exemption are that aerosol paint containers have traditionally been labeled in terms of weight, but that because of different specific gravities of specific paints and the great difference in specific gravities of the two basic types of propellants which may be used, the volumes of different paints mixed with one of the two basic propellants may vary greatly. It is the petitioner's position that by placing both net weight and liquid volume on the labels of pressurized paint containers, the consumer will have a better concept of the quantity of the product which is being purchased. Petitioner further feels that volume is the most meaningful declaration of quantity to the consumer and desires to be permitted 1 year in which it may continue to label in terms of liquid volume as well as net weight during which time petitioner would hope that the Commission and the industry can study the possibility of labeling pressurized containers of paint by both weight and liquid volume on a permanent basis.

Accordingly, pursuant to the provisions of the Fair Packaging and Labeling Act (sections 5(b), 6(b), 80 Stat. 1298, 1300; 15 U.S.C. 1453, 1455), the following regulation is proposed:

§ 501.14 Paints packaged in aerosol containers.

Paints including lacquers and enamels packaged in aerosol containers for retail sale shall be exempt from the prohibition contained in § 500.20 of this chapter that supplemental statements of net quantity may not appear on the principal display panel of the package: *Provided*, That the only supplemental statement of net quantity which may appear on the principal display panel shall be an accurate statement of the liquid volume of the contents of the container which will appear in the manner prescribed by the regulations in Part 500 of this chapter. This section shall terminate 1 year from its effective date.

Any interested person may, within 60 days from the date of this publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER, file with the Secretary, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, D.C. 20580, written views on this proposal. Comments may be accompanied by a memorandum or brief in support thereof.

Issued: May 21, 1969.

By direction of the Commission.

[SEAL] JOSEPH W. SHEA,
Secretary.

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Notices

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Bureau of Customs

[T.D. 69-126; Customs Delegation Order 1
(Rev. 1)]

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS, OFFICE OF REGULATIONS AND RULINGS, ET AL.

Performance of Functions

MAY 20, 1969.

1. By virtue of the authority vested in me by Treasury Department Order No. 165, Revised (T.D. 53654, 19 F.R. 7241), as amended, the following officers in the headquarters office of the Bureau of Customs are hereby authorized to make decisions and perform functions as follows:

A. Assistant Commissioner of Customs, Office of Regulations and Rulings:

Decisions approving requests for information under 5 U.S.C. 552 and decisions and functions relating to all matters in which authority also is delegated by this order to the Director, Division of Tariff Classification Rulings, the Director, Division of Entry Procedures and Penalties, and the Director, Division of Carriers, Drawback, and Bonds.

(a) *Director, Division of Tariff Classification Rulings.* (1) Decisions relating to the tariff classification, free and dutiable status of merchandise, including matters arising out of the Tariff Schedules of the United States, the qualification for the free entry of merchandise under section 321, Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, and the Trade Fair Act of 1959, and authorizations for liquidation or reliquidation of entries in matters relating to the above.

(2) Decisions other than those enumerated heretofore in subparagraph (a), in matters arising under provisions of law administered in the Division of Tariff Classification Rulings.

(b) *Director, Division of Entry Procedures and Penalties.* (1) Decisions with respect to the legal aspects of the entry or valuation of merchandise.

(2) Decisions with respect to (i) any claims (including liquidated damages) except as otherwise provided in Treasury Department Order No. 165, Revised, as amended (*supra*), (ii) mitigation or remission of claims, fines, penalties (including forfeitures) incurred or arising out of any laws administered by the Bureau of Customs in amounts not exceeding \$20,000 in the aggregate in any one case and (iii) offers in compromise under 19 U.S.C. 1619, as amended, if recommended by the Chief Counsel.

(3) Decisions, other than those enumerated heretofore in this subparagraph (b), in matters arising under provisions of law administered in the Division of Entry Procedures and Penalties.

(c) *Director, Division of Carriers, Drawback, and Bonds.* (1) Decisions relating to the legal aspects of entry, clearance, use, and dutiability of vessels and aircraft, vehicles, and other carriers, their equipment and repairs and other maritime activities, connected with the administration of the laws administered by the Bureau of Customs.

(2) Decisions with respect to the legal aspects of control over instruments of international traffic.

(3) Decisions relating to legal questions about bonds, bonded warehouses, the entry of articles under items 820.40, 820.50, and Schedule 8, Part 5, Subpart C, Tariff Schedules of the United States, and drawback rates and collateral drawback matters.

(4) Decisions, other than those enumerated heretofore in this subparagraph (c), in matters arising under provisions of law administered in the Division of Carriers, Drawback, and Bonds.

B. Assistant Commissioner of Customs, Office of Operations:

Decisions and functions relating to all matters in which authority also is delegated by this order to the Director, Division of Inspection and Control, and the Director, Division of Appraisalment and Collections.

(a) *Director, Division of Inspection and Control.* (1) Decisions concerning (i) requests for permission for scheduled aircraft to land elsewhere than at an international airport, and (ii) the establishment and changing of hours of service at ports of entry, stations, and offices.

(2) Decisions, other than those heretofore enumerated in this subparagraph (a), regarding procedural and operational matters relating to the functions administered by the Division of Inspection and Control.

(b) *Director, Division of Appraisalment and Collections.* (1) Decisions interpreting and applying factual information concerning matters of value (value decisions, final list, etc.).

(2) Decisions regarding the proper statistical classification of merchandise.

(3) Decisions, other than those heretofore enumerated in this subparagraph (b), regarding procedural and operational matters relating to the functions administered by the Division of Appraisalment and Collections.

2. Each of the officials hereby designated will perform under this authority in his own capacity and under his own title and shall be responsible for referring to the Commissioner of Customs any matter of exceptional importance or which involves some special factor requiring that action be taken by the Commissioner of Customs.

3. The delegations made by this order relate to decisions to be made and functions to be performed at the headquarters

office of the Bureau of Customs, and no such delegation to these officers shall be interpreted as revoking or modifying any delegation made to the Customs field officers.

4. Customs Delegation Order No. 1 (T.D. 53161; 17 F.R. 11705), as amended by T.D. 53694, 19 F.R. 8756; T.D. 53914, 20 F.R. 7554; T.D. 54654, 23 F.R. 5962; T.D. 55431, 26 F.R. 6628; T.D. 55543, 27 F.R. 262; T.D. 55823, 28 F.R. 1267; T.D. 55946, 28 F.R. 7611; T.D. 56262, 29 F.R. 13350; T.D. 56293, 29 F.R. 14860; and T.D. 66-4, 31 F.R. 226, is rescinded. However, all delegations of authority to Customs officers and employees, whether in the headquarters office of the Bureau of Customs in Washington, or in the field, heretofore made in the Customs Regulations of 1943, as amended (19 CFR, Chapter II), or any other regulation, order, or instruction, other than those in Treasury Decisions 52209, 52330, 52331, and 52394 (14 F.R. 2244, 6533, 6534, 15 F.R. 589), heretofore superseded, are continued in effect unless and until otherwise prescribed. Further, all functions which immediately prior to the effective date of Reorganization Plan No. 26 of 1950 (15 F.R. 4935) were vested by law in Customs officers other than the Commissioner of Customs (which have been performed by such officers or by their successors under Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1965 (3 CFR 1964-1965 Comp.) and under Treasury Order No. 120, dated July 31, 1950 (15 F.R. 6521)), shall continue to be performed by such officers or by their successors unless and until otherwise prescribed.

(191.1)

[SEAL]

LESTER D. JOHNSON,
Commissioner of Customs.

[F.R. Doc. 69-6280; Filed, May 26, 1969;
8:48 a.m.]

Internal Revenue Service

THEODORE W. FIDLER

Notice of Granting of Relief

Notice is hereby given that Theodore W. Fidler, 7646 Southeast Morrison Street, Portland, Ore. 97215, has applied for relief from disabilities imposed by Federal laws with respect to the acquisition, receipt, transfer, shipment, or possession of firearms incurred by reason of his conviction on October 26, 1932, by the Circuit Court, Clackamas County, Oregon City, Ore., of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding 1 year. Unless relief is granted, it will be unlawful for Theodore W. Fidler because of such conviction to ship, transport, or receive in interstate or foreign commerce any firearm or ammunition, and he would be ineligible for a license under chapter 44, title 18, United States

Code as a firearms or ammunition importer, manufacturer, dealer, or collector. In addition, under title VII of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, as amended (82 Stat. 236; 18 U.S.C., Appendix) because of such conviction, it would be unlawful for Mr. Fidler to receive, possess, or transport in commerce or affecting commerce, any firearm.

Notice is hereby given that I have considered Theodore W. Fidler's application and have found:

(1) The conviction was made upon a charge which did not involve the use of a firearm or other weapon or a violation of chapter 44, title 18, United States Code, or of the National Firearms Act; and

(2) It has been established to my satisfaction that the circumstances regarding the conviction and the applicant's record and reputation are such that the applicant will not be likely to act in a manner dangerous to public safety, and that the granting of the relief would not be contrary to public interest.

Therefore, pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of the Treasury by section 925(c), title 18, United States Code and delegated to me by 26 CFR 178.144(c), it is ordered that Theodore W. Fidler be, and he hereby is, granted relief from any and all disabilities imposed by Federal laws with respect to the acquisition, receipt, transfer, shipment, or possession of firearms and incurred by reason of the conviction hereinabove described.

Signed at Washington, D.C., this 19th day of May 1969.

[SEAL] RANDOLPH W. THROWER,
Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

[F.R. Doc. 69-6281; Filed, May 26, 1969;
8:48 a.m.]

GEORGE NORTON

Notice of Granting of Relief

Notice is hereby given that George Norton, 2201 Wright Street, Gary, Ind., has applied for relief from disabilities imposed by Federal laws with respect to the acquisition, receipt, transfer, shipment, or possession of firearms incurred by reason of his conviction on October 2, 1962, in the U.S. District Court, Northern District of Indiana of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding 1 year. Unless relief is granted, it will be unlawful for George Norton, because of such conviction, to ship, transport, or receive in interstate or foreign commerce any firearm or ammunition, and he would be ineligible for a license under chapter 44, title 18, United States Code as a firearms or ammunition importer, manufacturer, dealer, or collector. In addition, under title VII of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, as amended (82 Stat. 236; 18 U.S.C., Appendix), because of such conviction, it would be unlawful for Mr. Norton to

receive, possess, or transport in commerce or affecting commerce, any firearm.

Notice is hereby given that I have considered George Norton's application and have found:

(1) The conviction was made upon a charge which did not involve the use of a firearm or other weapon or a violation of chapter 44, title 18, United States Code, or of the National Firearms Act; and

(2) It has been established to my satisfaction that the circumstances regarding the conviction and the applicant's record and reputation are such that the applicant will not be likely to act in a manner dangerous to public safety, and that the granting of the relief would not be contrary to the public interest.

Therefore, pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of the Treasury by section 925(c), title 18, United States Code and delegated to me by 26 CFR 178.144, it is ordered that George Norton be, and he hereby is, granted relief from any and all disabilities imposed by Federal laws with respect to the acquisition, receipt, transfer, shipment, or possession of firearms and incurred by reason of the conviction hereinabove described.

Signed at Washington, D.C., this 19th day of May 1969.

[SEAL] RANDOLPH W. THROWER,
Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

[F.R. Doc. 69-6282; Filed, May 26, 1969;
8:48 a.m.]

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[Utah 7490]

UTAH

Notice of Proposed Withdrawal and Reservation of Land

MAY 20, 1969.

The Forest Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, has filed an application, Utah 7490, for the withdrawal of the lands described below, from all forms of appropriation except operation of the mining and mineral leasing laws.

The stated purpose of the withdrawal is to extend the boundaries of the Wasatch National Forest to include lands that are suitable for watershed management, public recreational development and fire protection under Forest Service administration.

The lands described include approximately 250 acres of nonpublic lands which the Forest Service intends to acquire. This proposed boundary modification would make valuable watershed lands in private ownership available for acquisition under existing authority for administration by the Forest Service.

For a period of 30 days from the date of publication of this notice, all persons who wish to submit comments, suggestions or objections in connection with the proposed withdrawal may present

their views in writing to the undersigned officer of the Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior, Post Office Box 11505, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111.

The authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management will undertake such investigations as are necessary to determine the existing and potential demand for the lands and their resources. He will also undertake negotiations with the applicant agency with the view of adjusting the application to reduce the area to the minimum essential to meet the applicant's needs, to provide for the maximum concurrent utilization of the lands for purposes other than the applicant's, to eliminate lands needed for purposes more essential than the applicant's, and to reach agreement on the concurrent management of the lands and their resources.

The authorized officer will also prepare a report for consideration by the Secretary of the Interior who will determine whether or not the lands will be withdrawn as requested by the applicant agency.

The determination of the Secretary on the application will be published in the FEDERAL REGISTER. A separate notice will be sent to each interested party of record.

If circumstances warrant, a public hearing will be held at a convenient time and place, which will be announced.

The lands involved in the application are:

SALT LAKE MERIDIAN

T. 2 N., R. 1 E.,
Sec. 17, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 21, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$.
T. 1 S., R. 3 E.,
Sec. 8, N $\frac{1}{4}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$.

R. D. NIELSON,
State Director.

[F.R. Doc. 69-6248; Filed, May 26, 1969;
8:46 a.m.]

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Packers and Stockyards Administration

[P. & S. Docket No. 445]

MARKET AGENCIES AT FORT WORTH STOCK YARDS

Notice of Petition for Modification of Rate Order

Pursuant to the provisions of the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921, as amended (7 U.S.C. 181 et seq.), an order was issued on May 7, 1968 (27 A.D. 587), continuing in effect to and including May 31, 1970, an order issued on February 7, 1966 (25 A.D. 166), authorizing the respondents, Market Agencies at Fort Worth Stock Yards, Fort Worth, Tex., to assess the current schedule of rates and charges.

On April 23, 1969, a petition was filed on behalf of the respondents requesting authority to modify, as soon as possible, the current rates and charges for stockyard services as indicated below: